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TAGS: SCUL, MO, US

SUBJ: LEADER GRANTEE MOHAMED BENNIS

REF: STATE 241389

1. POST APPRECIATES DEPARTMENT'S CONSIDERATION AND REGIONAL
FUNDING FOR NOMINEE FOR MULTI-REGIONAL PROJECT ON URBAN GOVERNOR.

2. POST NOMINATES MOHAMED BENNIS, FIRST ASSISTANT TO GOVERNOR OF
PROVINCE OF CASABLANCA AND CHIEF OF SOCIAL AFFAIRS DIVISION:

BORN 1937, CASABLANCA

MOROCCAN CITIZEN

VISITED US 1959-60 FOR 3 MONTH TOUR, 3 MONTH LANGUAGE
STUDY, 3 MONTH UNIVERSITY STUDY ON A.I.D. GRANT, 1971 FOR ONE MONTH
VACATION. HAS ALSO VISITED W. EUROPE, USSR, NORTH AFRICA, INDIA,
MALAISIA, JAPAN. ESCORT AND INTERPRETER NOT REQUIRED.

NO VISA PROBLEM FORESEEN

NOMINEE IS ALREADY ONE OF MOROCCO'S OUT STANDING
YOUNG LEADERS AND GIVES PROMISE OF ATTAINING THE HIGHEST POSTS IN
GOVERNMENT SERVICE. BECAUSE OF HIS DAILY IMMERSION IN URBAN
PROBLEMS OF THIRD LARGEST CITY' ON AFRICAN CONTINENT, IMPORTANCE
OF FAMILIARITY WITH LATEST US THINKING ON SUBJECT CANNOT BE
OVEREMPHASIZED. POST VIEWS VISIT AS NECESSARY STEP IN CULTIVATION
OF INDIVIDUAL WHOSE COOPERATION IS FELT IN MOST FACETS OF ITS WORK.
DATES ARE AGREEABLE TO NOMINEE AWAITING EXPECTED PERSONAL APPROVAL
OF GOVERNOR.

3. NOMINEE IS NOT, REPEAT NOT, MAN SUBJECT OF CASABLANCA 754 TO
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DEPARTMENT.

4. SPECIAL INTERESTS INCLUDE PAINTING AND YOUTH ACTIVITIES.

NOMINEE IS MARRIED, HAS NO CHILDREN, IS MEMBER OFF LION'S CLUB
ADS LAW DEGREE. HE HAS GOOD CONVERSATIONAL/SOCIAL COMMAND
OF ENGLISH, FRENCH AND ARABIC.

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